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ITALIANS TURN ON HUNS, AND GAIN 3 POSITIONS

HOLD NEW LINES AGAINST HEAVY COUNTER BLOWS

Monte di Val Bella and
Sasso Rosso Heights,
Taken From Foe

FOIL ENEMY'S PLANS

Preparations of Teutons For Off-
ensive Are Broken Up By
Sudden Tactical Move

ALLIES ADVANCE AGAIN IN FRANCE

Austro-Hungarian Internal Con-
ditions Continue to Ap-
pear Serious

Vienna, Austria, via London,
England, June 30.—While ad-
mitting that the Italians in hand
to hand fighting penetrated the
Austrian first line on Monte di
Val Bella, the Austrian war office,
in its official communication
today, declares that the Italians
were driven back shortly after-
ward by counter attacks.

(By the Associated Press.)—
Attacking the Austro-Hungarian
line on the Asiago plateau
the Italians have wrested Monte
di Val Bella from the enemy, cap-
tured 90 prisoners and held
their new position against re-
peated counter attacks.

This sudden turn from the de-
fensive to the offensive came as a
surprise to the laymen of the Al-
lied world, for it has been be-
lieved that General Diaz, the It-
alian commander, would be con-
tent to hold his lines in the
mountains against a great, new
offensive intended by the Aus-
trians and Germans to take away
the sting of the defeat of the
Austrians along the Piave two
weeks ago.

Not was the Italian attack
limited to the positions on Monte
di Val Bella. Farther east, on
the left bank of the Brenta river,
they captured the heights of
Sasso Rosso, just north of the
village of Valstagna.

Diaz Foils Enemy's Plans.

These two actions, while local in
character, may explain the failure of
the Italians to pursue the Austrians
across the Piave when, on June 23,
the enemy fled from the west bank
with a haste that indicated something
of demoralization.

Gen. Diaz has probably expected
the heaviest enemy blow to be launched
along the mountain front, which is
the key to the whole Italian situation.

In attacking there himself he has
carried the fight to the foe, gained
strong positions at vital points and
broken up some of the preparations
made by the enemy for an offensive
in that quarter.

It is hardly to be believed that Gen.
Diaz plans to go farther than local
objections, but if he should make
much progress on the Asiago plateau
he would be able to take under his ar-
tillery fire the railroad paralleling the
battle line and running along the
Brenta river east of Lake Caldonazzo.

This line is the connecting link be-
tween the Piave and the Adige front
and if the Austrians could dominate
it the Italian system of communica-
tions would be seriously impeded.

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19 RAILWAYS AIDED FINANCIALLY

New York Central Advanced \$6,-
\$500,000 in June, Delaware and
Hudson \$2,000,000.

Washington, D. C., June 30.—Nineteen railroads received advances
aggregating \$56,195,000 from the government in June, including \$16,610,-
000 demand loans at 6 per cent and the remainder on account of rentals or compensation. The railroad ad-
ministration announced today that this brought the total advanced rail-
roads by the government in the six months of federal operation ending
today to \$160,500,000. All funds came from the half billion dollar re-
volving fund, except \$18,745,000, which was turned over to the railroad
administration from a railroad sur-
plus balance.

Loans made in June include: New
York Central, \$3,500,000.

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ARREST E. V. DEBBS ON ESPIONAGE CHARGE

Indicted For Assertions Made in
Socialist Speech At Canton,
Ohio, Recently

Cleveland, Ohio, June 30.—Eugene
V. Debs, four times socialist can-
didate for the presidency of the
United States, was arrested here to-
day by United States Marshal Charles
W. Lapp and Deputy Marshal Charles
Boehme, as he was about to deliver a
socialist address. The arrest was
made on a federal warrant in con-
nection with Debs' speech at the So-
cialist State convention in Canton,
Ohio, June 16, last.

The arrest was made on a secret in-
dictment returned yesterday by the
federal grand jury. It is understood
the indictment contains ten specific
counts under section three of the
espionage act and amended by the
passage of the sedition bill on May
15, last which provides a penalty of
20 years in the penitentiary and a fine
of \$10,000 and cost for each vio-
lation.

Mr. Debs will be arraigned in fed-
eral court at 9:30 tomorrow morning
before Judge D. C. Westenrauer
when the master of bail will be de-
cided. He spent tonight in the
Cuyahoga county jail, in the custody
of Marshal Lapp.

Mr. Debs refused to make any
statement regarding his arrest.

Mr. Debs arrived in Cleveland to-
day to address a socialist gathering.
He was taken into custody as he was
about to enter the garden where the
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BIG TROOP MOVEMENT NEAR YANKS ON MARNE

Americans May Be Called Upon
Soon to Meet Offensive
By Germans

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With the American Forces on the
Marne, June 30.—Excessive move-
ments of troops and materials north
of Chateau Thierry together with the
increased artillery and aerial activity
form the basis of the belief that
American forces in this locality may
be called upon to defend themselves
in the near future.

Long streams of enemy troops and
wagon trains have been observed in
the neighborhood of the Bons wood.
There have been more than 50 enemy
air flights over the American lines
northwest of Chateau Thierry in the
past 24 hours. One German machine
was shot down by our anti-air craft
guns.

The American artillery have heavily
shelled many vital and active spots
within the enemy lines, once obtaining
a direct hit in a detachment of march-
ing Germans.

For days the Americans have been
expecting that the enemy, stung by
the defeat administered to him re-
cently on this front, would make a
vigorous assault upon our forces, and
it was partly for this reason that the
American operations in the Belleau
sector were carried out.

With these operations completed

the Americans now have the country
for several miles in front of them
under their eyes and guns and can
see what is developing. In conse-
quence, when the expected blow
comes they will be that much better
prepared to meet it.

The American troops have made
all preparations and the Boche will
get an exceedingly warm reception if
he tries what the situation today in-
dicates he has in mind. The Ameri-
cans say that no matter where the
enemy strikes, he is bound to pay
dearly for his efforts and that the
bigger the target the better the
American forces will like it.

To the east of Chateau Thierry,
along the Marne river, except for
constantly increasing long range
shelling on both sides comparative
quiet prevails. There has been no
patrolling because the bright moon
light on the water prevents a cross
fire, but the American snipers have
been active in the past four days
that the Germans rarely ever make
an appearance.

LAND 20 DWINSK RESCUED.

Washington, D. C., June 30.—Ar-
rival at Hampton Roads, Va., of 20
more survivors of the British tro-
op ship Dwinsk, torpedoed and sunk 700
miles east of the Delaware capes last
June 18, was reported today to the
navy department. Among them was
Lieut. Ross T. Whitemarsh, U. S. N.
Twenty-three members of the crew of
148 are still missing.

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ITALIANS REPORT GAINS.

Elimira, June 30.—Ray Tompkins,
president of the Chemung Canal
Trust company of Elmira died here
today.

He graduated from Yale univer-
sity in 1884 and was one of Yale's
best known athletes, being a former
captain of the Yale football team. In
connection with the Chemung Canal
Trust company, he was identified
with many other large interests in
and about Elmira. He is survived
by his wife, Sarah Way Tompkins.

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Telegraphers' Strike Is
Set For Monday, July 8

Chicago, Ill., June 30.—S. J. Konenkamp, president of the Commercial Telegraphers' Union of America, tonight announced that he had issued a call for a strike of members of the union employed by the Western Union Telegraph company effective at 7 a.m. eastern time, Monday, July 8.

An announcement declared that the grievances to be adjusted are the reinstatement of union men who are alleged to have been locked out, and to enforce the right of the men to organize.

President Konenkamp said that he expected 5,000 of the 20,000 commercial telegraphers to quit H. J. Thomas, chairman of the Railroad Telegraphers' committee, said that 35,000 of his men would be affected. The International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, President Konenkamp said, had pledged its assistance.

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DELAWARE COUNTY NEWS

DUTIES OF CITIZENSHIP

Definitely Explained by R. Hume Grant to Equal Suffrage League.

Delhi June 30.—Before the Delaware County Equal Suffrage League and Delhi was the speaker on Friday afternoon. His subject was "Practical Local Suggestions on the Election Law, Manner of Enrolling, Registering and Voting."

Having been the acting election commissioner of this county for some time, no one is better qualified than parts of the county. Mr. Grant to give the new voters advice as to these matters, with which he is thoroughly familiar. He complemented the ladies on the fact that in a total enrollment of women in this county of 5,555, there were but 5 void ballots and 15 with no designation. He then made clear the manner of enrolling, registration and voting, interspersing the same with much good practical advice. He showed the foolishness, if not criminality, of enrolling under one party emblem in order to control the nomination in that party in the primary of some candidate when, in fact, the voter belonged to another party and intended to vote at election.

His whole address was replete with facts interesting, instructive and full of practical worth.

Marriage of Well Known Couple.

Married this week in Connecticut, March Farrington, a prominent farmer, to Miss Emma Briggs, both of this town.

Delhi Locals.

J. Henry Hirt, C. A. Sanford, J. S. Archibald, S. A. Dugan of Margerville were here yesterday on business.—E. O. Harkness motored to Binghamton on Tuesday on business.—Mrs. G. A. Silliman, wife of Dr. Silliman, now with the U. S. Army in France, starts tomorrow for Sayville, where she will spend the summer with her parents. She motors through with her own car.—E. C. Jacobs of New Paltz is here for a few days.—Rev. W. Cordland Robinson, who is pastor of a large Presbyterian church in Philadelphia, is in town at his country residence, on Cherry Hill, for the summer.—Wyatt Frisbee has been at home on a short

Pressure Canner for Delaware County

A pressure canner has been purchased by the Home Economics department of the Farm Bureau and is available for use in Delaware county. The plan for its use is as follows: Miss Snodgrass, the demonstration agent, will bring the canner into any community for a day and a half and can any product that is prepared and brought to her. The capacity of the canner is 90 quarts a day. This will be a big saving of time and fuel to the women of Delaware county.

An itinerant of the county is being planned, so request that your community be placed in this. Make your request to Miss Snodgrass, Farm Bureau office, Walton.

Judge Kellogg at Roxbury.

One of the big numbers of the program was the address to the class by Judge A. L. Kellogg of Oneonta, who was introduced by Prof. T. C. Bookhout. For many years it has been our duty and privilege to chronicle the events of Commencement week in Roxbury, and we are justified in saying that the address by Judge Kellogg was the most scholarly and appropriate of any address to a graduating class, to which we have ever listened. The people of Roxbury hope that they may have the privilege of listening to this talented speaker again.—[Roxbury Times.]

\$7.6 Wright's delivery. advt 1f

SIDESTEPPED THE DANCE

Rev. Mr. Summerson of Davenport Center Played for Entertainment Only

The Star has received the following communication from Rev. George Summers, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church at Davenport Center, which corrects a statement inadvertently made relative to his participation in the Thrift Dance recently held at Sherman Lake:

"I see in your issue of June 28 a statement that the Thrift Stamp rera. The Rev. Mr. Summerson played his violin accompanied by Mrs. A. Young, at the piano, and Mr. and Mrs. Summerson took part. Such is not correct. There was a Thrift stamp entertainment, consisting of patriotic speeches and songs. Rev. Mr. Summerson played his violin, accompanied by Mrs. A. Young, at the piano, and L. Burts of Schenevus, also one sister, Mrs. Carrie Barbours of New York, in which town they resided until nine years ago, when they removed to Laramie, Colorado. The Rev. Mr. Summerson was the overture, La. Whitteman had suffered for 16 years from Tuberculosis.

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WHAT THE PEOPLE ARE DOING.

All over the country the people are doing something in separate ways as war measures, and even a sketchy and fragmentary list of such activities may be interesting.

For example: The women of Ulster county in Ulster raised \$1,500 last month by remodeling hats and clothing under the supervision of the county demonstration agent. There were 350 hats remodeled, dresses made from coats and suits, waists from old shirts, children's clothing from women's dresses and boys' trousers and overcoats from men's old coats. Here is substantial saving for the war, since wool is wool and cotton is cotton this year, and the remodeled clothes mean just so much less new material required.

In Richmond, Va., the war kitchen which has been established, handles a ton daily of surplus fruits and vegetables by drying and canning. Throughout the middle west foreign-speaking people are being instructed in canning, and in addition to the teams of college workers sent out by the national government, volunteer members are working among the foreign born or speaking to people in thirty-three states. In this connection the priests of the foreigners' churches are enlisting and they are urging their women-members to attend and are themselves taking a practical interest in the work.

Before the war flax was chiefly grown in the northwest for the seed, the oil from which, expressed, is the linseed oil used so universally in the best paints. Formerly after the seed was gathered, the flax fields were set afire and the stalks and fibre burned away. Now that the war makes it difficult to secure linen from abroad, the growers in the west are being encouraged not only to sow larger acreage for the oil, but manufacturers are also to prepare the fibre for use in making cloth.

Forty extension dairy workers of the department of agriculture are in the south this summer, and everywhere meetings are being held to discuss the dairy problems of the southern states. For the first time in history, the south since the war began is coming to realize the importance of dairying as a home industry.

In the vicinity of Washington, D. C., the Arlington experiment farm is sending its surplus to the Walter Reed hospital for convalescent soldiers. Volunteers from the government departments do the work of harvesting after hours in the offices and the thousands of quarts of berries and small fruits have been sent to the hospital. During July and August the products of the farm will be canned and turned over to the hospital for winter use.

The paragraph above is at least suggestive of what can be done in our own country. The hospital at Cooperstown is to be used for wounded soldiers. Why not have that institution in mind when picking berries and fruit this year, and why not remember also the Otsego County Tuberculosis hospital, which on Wednesday is to be dedicated, and which will no doubt be long have among its inmates tuberculosis soldiers? Just think about it as the ripe fruit drops into your basket.

Already throughout the hay-producing sections attention is being called to the vast quantities of hay which will be required next winter at the army training camps. Accordingly it is urged that no hay fields be neglected and that every acre of meadow be cut and the product stored. A year ago there was much hay in the vicinity of Oneonta which was not cut, and other large quantities which after being cut was allowed to rot in windrows or in shocks in the fields. No such thing should happen this year. It is not a question of price, though no doubt this will be large enough to pay out. It is a question of loyalty and of patriotic duty.

These are a few only of the things which the people are doing or preparing to do. In hundreds of other spheres of activity, and this not merely in gardens or on the farms, people are engaged to do and to save. But at least they are more active of how seriously, and how earnestly and actively the people of the United States are now taking hold of this war.

Arrives Safely Overseas.

Dr. and Mrs. Julian C. Smith have received word that their son, Harold S. Smith, has arrived safely overseas. He is with a special detail of the Navy Aviation corps.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Platt of Laurens have received word that their son, George Platt, is in France.

Word has been received by friends of the safe arrival of John M. Bender overseas.

Add Third Star to Service Flag. Conductor and Mrs. W. J. DeLaMater of 12 Fair street have added a third star to their service flag, the latest one being for their son, Roy, employed at Amsterdam but who left that place on Thursday for Camp Upton. All the sons of Mr. and Mrs. DeLaMater now have the proud distinction of being in the military service of the United States.

NEW COUNTY SANITARIUM

Otsego County Tuberculosis Hospital Open Early in July — Supervisors and County Officers Hold Meeting Wednesday — Addresses by State and Local Men of Prominence.

The Otsego County Tuberculosis hospital, for which the contract was signed September 9, 1917, and ground for which was broken about October 1, is now completed and will be ready within the first days of July to receive patients. This, in view of the general conditions as regards both labor and material, is a remarkable achievement, which has received unstinted praise from the state health board and from all who know the facts and realize how long negotiations in general have lagged during the past month. The completion of a public building ahead of the time contracted for is such a feat as it is believed has not been matched this year in the state.

On Wednesday afternoon, July 3, the present and past members of the board of supervisors and present and past county officials, with their spouses, will hold their annual outing at the hospital. Luncheon will be served to the party at 1 p.m. by the ladies of the Mt. Vision Red Cross. Afterwards a short program will be rendered. Hon. Charles Smith of Oneonta, chairman of the board of managers, will preside and there will be addresses by representatives of the State Health department, of the State Charities Aid Association and by well-known speakers of Otsego county, after which the building and grounds will be inspected.

All residents of the county of Otsego who desire to do so are cordially invited to attend the exercises, which will begin at 3 o'clock, and to inspect the building during the afternoon.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Recent Proceedings of Interest in Otsego and Adjoining Counties.

The Standard Light, Heat and Power company of Sidney has filed with the commission a new tariff schedule for electricity in the villages of Undula, Sidney and Baibridge. The changes all involve increase of rates heretofore in effect.

The Mohawk Hydro-Electric company has filed a supplemental petition asking approval of the exercise by that company of the franchise granted to the Courier Electric company. Steps are under way for the transfer of the property of the latter company to the former, and the Mohawk company desires to operate in Cobleskill under the transfer to it of the assets and franchise of the Courier company.

Lee D. VanWoert esq. of Oneonta, as attorney for the Great Bear Light & Power company, in an answer filed by the company to a complaint of citizens of Richmondville, alleges financial disability as the principal reason for not providing proper lighting service for that village.

The Public Service commission on Thursday gave a hearing on the complaint of J. O. & G. N. Rowe of Oneonta against the pick-up service of the National Express company for the 7:20 a.m. train on the E. & D. road. O. B. Rowe was sworn for the complainant and C. F. Covlin of Albany for the express company. Decision was reserved.

PEOPLE'S PARLIAMENT.

The Star disclaims all responsibility in regard to the correspondence published in this column and will not be held as endorsing them because publishing them. This column is intended to be for the people's use, the place where all can have their voices represented and heard. The communication must be accompanied by the name and address of the author, if requested, these will not be published, however.

Wastefulness of Fireworks.

Editor Star:

I am decidedly surprised and shocked that an American citizen in this city should at this time above all other times adverse fire works to be sold. Men and women all over this state have been urging people to save and conserve all the man power possible and the government has insisted that every wage earner save and buy War Savings Stamps. And to look at the sign "Fireworks For Sale" in the face of all that we have been and are going through makes a patriot's blood boil. No city should have within its borders men and women who are willing for their children to waste their money for the purchase of fireworks at such times.

American Citizen

Otsego's Jail Vacant.

Sheriff E. F. VanZandt announced Wednesday morning, with a smile of satisfaction, that there was not a single prisoner in the Otsego county jail.

They were all at work at the county farm, the last one having been inducted into service at the farm that morning at his own earnest request. The man, as Deputy Scott Larton explained, was not really "eligible" to work, as he was not a sentenced prisoner, but was being held on a court order. He was lonesome, however, and begged to be allowed to accompany the other prisoners to the farm.

Since the plan of employing the prisoners at the farm has been in operation, only one man has ever made any objection to working and he was persuaded to change his mind without much trouble. The scheme is working so exceedingly well that the only regret of the county officials is that it was not inaugurated years ago.

The work at the farm is being well taken care of and besides cultivating the crops the men have found time to get out 20 cords of wood and prepare for the winter.

With the extreme scarcity of labor this season it is probable that the superintendent of the poor would have had the greatest difficulty in securing help for the farm work, but for the assistance of the men from the jail.—(Otsego Farmer.)

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COMMENTS OF THE PRESS

Things Unexplainable.
Among the things unexplainable is how a girl can let herself be scapped by the camera when playing tennis.—(Buffalo Enquirer.)

How Russian Society Scatters.
Kerensky in Paris and Lenin in Berlin and the Czar sitting on the back steps; how Russian society has split this summer.—(Philadelphia Evening Ledger.)

A Great Awakener.

As the German government is now ready constitutionally to discuss proposals to cease air raids on uninhabited cities, we judge that the successful reprisal is a great awakener of conscience.—(Milwaukee Sentinel.)

Messengers Had Passes.

All apprehension lest the Western Union might have had to pay railway fares for the messengers, it employed to cheat the post office by carrying "night letters" was ill founded. The W. U. had thought of that. The messengers had passes.—(New York World.)

A Long Way to Vladivostok.

Advocates of United States intervention in Siberia should remember that it is an exceedingly long way across the Pacific to Vladivostok for the transportation of large bodies of troops; and also, that our soldiers are all needed on the west front.—(Albany Journal.)

The Different Georges.

It would have been impossible to convince the third George of England that the fifth George would one day eat buckwheat cakes in an American canteen at his capital and practise baseball to participate in a Fourth of July celebration.—(New York World.)

The Bible in Austria.

Vienna rioters ask the Austrian premier for bread and then give him a stone.—(Washington Post.)

The Germans are Finding Out.

The two smashing blows at the German lines simultaneously delivered by the French and British in widely separated sectors are presumably not to be interpreted as more than local operations designed primarily to improve positions against a resumption of the German offensive. But as tests and disturbances of the enemy's morale they may yield much greater than local results in gains of ground and prisoners. Matters are clearly not going well with Germany and the Central Alliance, and what the people at home are beginning to find out on that score the soldiers at the front must soon know.—(New York World.)

Oneonta Fair Privileges.

The Central New York fair, which will be held in Oneonta on September 16, 17, 18, 19 and 20, has sold the following privileges at the prices named: Hot candy, \$250; hot frankfurts, \$250; merry-go-round, \$200; snap the whip, \$175. Evidently the privilege men are anticipating a big crowd at the fair this year.

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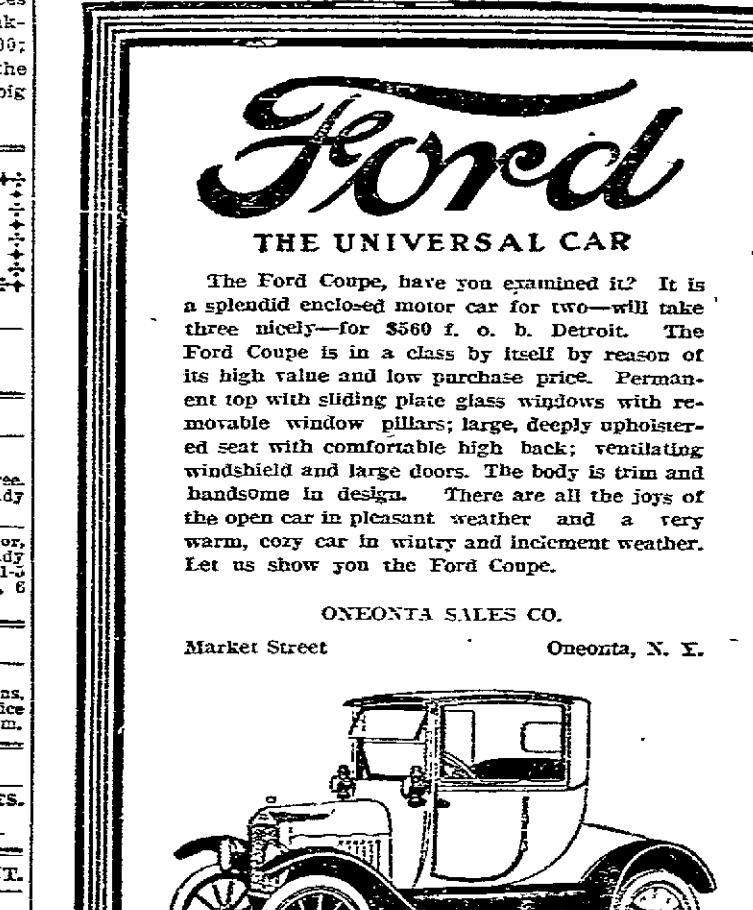
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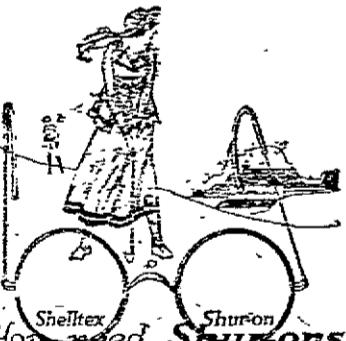
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8 a.m.	62
2 p.m.	85
8 p.m.	77
Maximum.	87—Minimum, 59
Saturday's record:	
8 a.m.	68
2 p.m.	75
8 p.m.	68
Maximum.	78—Minimum, 64

WAR SAVINGS STAMP DRIVE

Saturday a Busy Day—Total Receipts Reach \$70,000 Sold or Pledged—Drive Continues This Week.

The War Savings Stamp drive is still on! It will be on for several days as the authorities desire that no one be overlooked who can and will pledge and buy the stamps. This request was made to the local committee Saturday and all effort will now be made to keep the drive open till the 6th inst.

Saturday was a busy day in the post office as well as in the various wards where the volunteers working for the pledge of the sale of War Savings stamps. At the stamp windows in the post office all day Saturday a string of people were busy purchasing stamps, and when night came it was evident that few of the stamps were on hand. Postmaster Beams made requisition at once for a new issue and these will be here this morning ready for business. The post offices adjacent to Oneonta ran out of the stamps and they too also requested this city to come to their assistance. Accordingly this was done.

Complete reports were not ready for publication Saturday night, and inquiry failed to get the complete data. The local director, however, was able to state that in his opinion at least \$70,000 of War Savings stamps have been sold or pledged in this city and that he is hopeful that this sum will be materially increased within the next few days in view of the fact that several of the solicitors have not made a complete return.

Most of the industries have completed their work but there are still some missing.

Throughout the county reports are most encouraging and in some places the returns are exceedingly gratifying. In any event the county as a whole will roll up a big list of people who have pledged and will buy the stamps before the end of the year.

DETAILED TO CAMP DUTY.

Lieutenant Louis M. Baker Called to Boys' Training Camp at Blauvelt.

Lieutenant Louis M. Baker of Company G, New York guard, has been detailed for duty at the boys' training camp at Blauvelt and leaves for that place this morning, where he will be engaged for the month of July at least as one of the officers in charge of the training of the boys at the camp.

Boys from the ages of 16 to 19 years are given military instruction as a part of the state's training for military duty. A large number of boys are to receive training at the camp and the assignment is considered a desirable one and one also that is credit to Lieutenant Baker standing in the guard.

Gov. Whitman at Cooperstown July 4.

Governor Whitman will visit Cooperstown July Fourth, arriving there at 4 p.m. He will be given a review, and a large parade is being arranged. The parade will be headed by Company G, the Oneonta and Cooperstown platoons being united for the first time since their organization. The issue of uniforms and equipment to the Cooperstown platoon will be completed Wednesday. The Oneonta company will go by trolley and will be given supper by the citizens of Cooperstown and will return in the evening.

Emergency Help Conference.

The emergency help proposition will be discussed this morning at 10 o'clock in the Chamber of Commerce rooms by a committee of which M. G. Keenan is chairman. Those called in to make preparations for the securing of such help will go carefully over all the details and endeavor that this city get in line with all other towns in the county.

Meetings Today.

Regular communication Oneonta Lodge, No. 456, F. & A. M., this evening at 8 o'clock. Work Master Mason. Last meeting before summer vacation. Light refreshments will be served.

The King's Herald of the Methodist Episcopal church will meet this afternoon at 2 o'clock in the church parlor.

No Candidates Appeared.

Though there was a State Civil Service examination scheduled on Saturday last to be held at the office of George L. Gibbs est. in this city, there was none held as no candidates appeared. The next examination in Oneonta will be held on Saturday, August 8.

Woman's Club.

Regular meeting of the board of directors in the club rooms this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

—Miss Howe's class will assist in instruction this afternoon and Mrs. Minard's class this evening at the surgical dressing room.

Help Wanted.

Men, help by the Oneonta Ice company. Steady employment. Income at 246 Main street. advt 6-0

Wanted—All kinds of team work and general trucking. Homer E. Lyon, 19 River street. Phone 384-J. advt 6-1

Wanted—at the Daily Lunch room dish washer to work nights. Steady employment. advt 6-1

TWO WOMEN STRUCK BY AUTO

LIVES ENDANGERED BY YOUNG WOMAN LEARNING TO DRIVE.

Mrs. Blake S. Conner of Herkimer and Miss Grace E. Gurney of Earlville struck by car of Charles Schidzick of Milford while walking in highway near Portlandville.

Milford, June 30.—Mrs. Blake S. Conner of Herkimer and Miss Grace E. Gurney of Earlville were struck by the Ford car of Charles Schidzick, residing on rural route No. 1 of Milford, while they were walking from Portlandville to the home of Mrs. Conner's father, F. M. Thorne, about a mile above Portlandville on the state road, shortly after 8 o'clock Saturday evening. Both ladies were knocked down. Mrs. Conner was quite severely bruised and cut about the left knee and the knee pain dislocated. She was otherwise bruised and today it is feared that she may have sustained internal injuries. Miss Gurney was struck in the back by one of the lamps, inflicting a painful injury, the full extent of which cannot be foreseen. She also sustained a cut on the under side of the lower jaw and one two inches long on the back of the head, besides a severe sprain of one shoulder. One ankle was also wrenched. Both, however, escaped without broken bones. Both were taken to the home of Mr. Thorne by A. L. Irish of Oneonta, who came up shortly after the accident and rendered what assistance he could. Dr. W. R. Seiber of Milford was called to attend them. He hopes that no more serious symptoms will develop.

The two women had been in attendance at the Gurney family reunion at Schenevus and returned to Portlandville on the evening train and were walking to Mr. Thorne's home near the summit of the grade above Portlandville. They were nearing the house when they observed a car coming from Milford and they stepped to the roadside on their right. Shortly after they heard a second car coming up behind them from Portlandville and they stepped still farther to the right out upon the grass. This second car bore down upon them and while it was not moving rapidly it struck them squarely, inflicting the injuries stated.

The car proved to be a new Ford owned by Charles Schidzick, residing on rural route No. 1 out of Milford. The car still bore a demonstrator's number plate. In the car were the son and daughter of the owner, the daughter, Miss Henrietta M. Schidzick, being in the driver's seat and being taught to drive by her brother, who admitted that he also was a none too experienced driver. The women were well out on the grass and the indications are that the young woman driver, perhaps slightly confused by the approach of another car from the opposite direction, kept her eyes upon the women and like many another novice drove directly where she was looking. It appears that there was plenty of room to pass the women and then turn aside before meeting the other car or in fact plenty of room for the two cars to meet alongside of the women.

Miss Schidzick graduated from the Oneonta State Normal school this month. She expressed deep regret at the accident and both she and her brother did all they could for the injured ones after the accident.

JAMES L. MATTESON RESIGNS.

Fourteen Years with Buckley Bros. Co. and Seven Resident Manager.

James L. Matteson, for seven years resident manager of the factory and business of the Buckley Bros. company in this city, has resigned, the resignation taking effect on Saturday last. Mr. Matteson has been with Henry H. Buckley and allied concerns for 14 years. He went to New York with Mr. Buckley when the latter established the business there in 1904, and after about six months there he was transferred to St. Louis, Mo., and made western manager of the Buckley Bros. company, having charge of the concern in that city. Seven years ago he came to this city as manager and has remained in charge of the extensive interests of the company here, proving capable and efficient in every responsibility.

While he has no definite plans, his resignation was placed several months ago. He will retain Oneonta as his residence and doubtless his family will remain here in any event. He has an application on file for a position with the Quartermaster's corps of the army, an intimation having been given him that one or more positions were available for men having experience in the manufacture of shirts. His many friends are glad to learn that he is to continue his residence here.

Stores to Close Early.

The following Oneonta merchants will close their stores during July and August every day at 5 o'clock except Saturdays to allow employer and employee more time for War Gardens and other work.

Rosen Brothers,
R. E. Brigham,
Judd's Store,
R. F. Sisson,
M. Gurney & Sons, Inc.,
Lewis & Bates,
M. E. Wilder & Son,
E. L. Ward,
Rose & Rose.

Willard Knapp Purchases Residence.

Willard Knapp of 65 Main street has purchased the house at 21 High street and after extensive repairs will reside there.

Bicycles repaired, lawn mowers

sharpened, umbrellas mended, new valves put into auto pumps. Will buy a few second-hand bicycles. Kane's Bicycle shop, 27 South Main street.

Plain dressings room.

Wanted—At the Daily Lunch room dish washer to work nights. Steady employment. advt 6-1

Wanted—At the Windsor, Oneonta, July 1, Eagle, Norwich, July 3. advt 6-1

FATAL MOTOR CAR ACCIDENT

MRS. C. B. ROYAL, WIFE OF SUMMIT, N. J., PHYSICIAN, THE VICTIM.

Accident Occurs on Clay Hill Near Gilboa and Car Was Moving Rapidly Down the Hill Colliding With Wagon of Calves—Sister of Dead Woman Was Driving the Car.

An automobile accident, which was attended by the death of one lady, occurred just above the Gilboa creamery at about the noon hour Friday. A party of three ladies, Miss Mary Vedder, of Newark, N. J.; her sister, Mrs. C. B. Royal, and Mrs. Mahavo, both of Summit, N. J., were on their way to Schoharie to visit E. B. Vedder, a brother of the two ladies' first named, and in coming down the clay hill, collided with a lumber wagon, belonging to Grant Schermerhorn of Manorville. Heavily loaded with calves. It seems that the car, a Ford touring car, being driven by Miss Vedder, was coming down the hill at a pretty fast rate of speed, and as it turned the bend in the road the driver saw the loaded wagon but too late to stop the car and it crashed in the heavy wagon with great force. As the car struck the wagon it turned completely over. The impact was so severe that Mrs. Royal was thrown head first into the highway and the other two ladies over the fence into a pasture lot. Mrs. Mahavo landing in a barbed wire fence.

A hurried call was sent for help and Dr. Persons and others hurried to the scene of the accident. An examination showed that Mrs. Royal was suffering from a fracture of the skull and was unconscious and remained so until she died, which was about two hours after the accident happened. The injured lady was taken to the Gilboa house, where everything that could be done to save her life and alleviate her pain was done. The other two ladies were more or less injured but not seriously. The body was taken to the Vedder home in Schoharie. No blame can be attached to Mr. Schermerhorn for the accident. It is said that he was more than a wagon's length across the small bridge that spans the brook at the point where the accident happened, and was resting his horses when the car crashed into his wagon. He helped with the injured until they were brought to the village and is completely overcome with grief. He is one of the substantial men of the town of Conesville.

THE FOURTH AT FRANKLIN.

Patriotic and Safe Celebration with Proceeds to Red Cross.

Franklin announces a "Patriotic, safe and sane" celebration of the Glorious Fourth," the entire proceeds of the day to be donated to the Franklin Red Cross. At 10 o'clock there is to be a patriotic parade with the Red Cross, Soldiers' mothers, the Sheldon Rifles of Delhi, the Boy Scouts and Fire department, combined with floats and automobiles with fife and drum bands and the Downsville band leading the parade. At 12 m. a Red Cross cafeteria dinner will be served by the ladies of the Franklin Red Cross on the D. L. L. campus.

At 1:30 p.m. the Franklin service flag, donated to the town by County Judge L. F. Raymond, will be unfurled near the post office with fitting exercises, after which a ball game between Delhi and Franklin will be played on the High School athletic field. The Downsville band will be on the grounds.

At 7:30 o'clock the Downsville band will give a concert in front of the Franklin Inn and at 8:30 o'clock a minstrel show by the Franklin minstrels will be given at Rutherford hall. The admission fee will be 50 cents, but with each ticket the purchaser will be handed a 25 cent Thrift Stamp. There will be a short patriotic address preceding the minstrel show. The Downsville orchestra will furnish the music.

Quality Girls Take Vacations.

A number of the girls employed by the Quality Silk Mill, Inc., held a meeting Saturday afternoon and decided to take their vacations commencing today in order to help their employers, while endeavoring to secure temporary headquarters. This action when drawn to the attention of Harry Taylor, president of the company, was highly commended and the girls thanked for their thoughtfulness.

Up to the close of business Saturday evening, the mill officials had not closed any contract for temporary quarters. It is expected that this will be done early this week.

JOINS MEDICAL RESERVE CORPS.

Dr. Morton E. Brownell, wife and son of Ann Arbor, Mich., are guests of the former's parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. H. Brownell, in this city. Dr. Morton Brownell, who has resigned his position as instructor in the medical department of the University of Michigan and has enlisted in the Medical Reserve corps, is awaiting his call to the colors, which will no doubt be received in a short time.

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PERSONALS

H. D. Ives of Oneonta was a caller in the city on Saturday.

L. F. Brue, manager of the Strand Theatre, is in Buffalo on business.

Dr. P. J. Burgess arrived yesterday for Albany on official business for the school.

Owen C. Becker and family left Saturday for a few days' sojourn at Stamford.

Attorney A. G. Patterson of Walton was in Oneonta on business errands on Saturday.

Judge J. W. Barnum of Clermont Valley was in Oneonta Saturday on legal business.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. VanAlstine and son of Dr. Forest are here are in Walton for a few days.

Leon Simmons, who had been visiting his parents in this city, returned Saturday to Walton.

Frank M. Hill was at Roseboom yesterday, where he spent the day calling on numerous friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Edie J. Warren and daughter, Beatrice, spent Sunday with relatives at Pleasant Brook.

Miss Dora Knapp of Elm street spent Sunday at the home of her uncle, Otto J. Larson, of Wells Bridge.

Lulu and Roland H. H. are spending their vacation at the home of their aunt, Mrs. Richard Davidson, Cooperstown.

Miss Ada K. Smith of the Normal faculty, her friends learn with regret, is again quite ill and is an inmate of the Albany hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry H. Buckley of this city and W. D. Buckley of DesMoines, Iowa, are spending a few days in New York city.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Disbrow arrived home last evening after a few days' visit of the families of their two sons residing in Schenectady.

Mrs. Bell Charles of this city departed Saturday for Schenectady, where she will spend a few days with her mother, Mrs. L. M. Groff.

Miss Julia Wells of the city departed Saturday on an extended vacation which will be spent at Plattsburgh and Lake Champlain.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dercy and daughter, Mary, of Norwich, were guests over Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. John Strong, 44 Miller street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Lantz, Oneontans, who recently took up their residence in West Winfield, were weekend guests of friends in the city.

M. TerBroek departed on Saturday for a visit with his son, L. J. TenBroek, at Carbondale, Pa., where he is now employed by the O. & W. road. Miss Ruth A. Ward of the New Paltz Normal school faculty is visiting Miss Cornelia Westervelt on Taft avenue en route to her home in Syracuse.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. True of Rutland, Vt., are visiting relatives in this city and stopping at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Murdock on Watkins avenue.

Edwin Osborn of Cobleskill, formerly of this city, was in Oneonta yesterday on his way home from a short visit at the home of Monroe Diamond at Treadwell.

Dr. and Mrs. William Apthorpe departed yesterday for Boston, Mass., where this week they will attend the national convention of the American Osteopathic association.

Cadet John D. Capron of the aviation school at Ithaca, was at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Capron, over Sunday, returning last evening to Ithaca.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Buisis, who had been spending a few days with friends in Davenport, were calling on Oneonta friends Saturday, while en route to their home at Sidney Center.

Mrs. Margarette McMillan arrived home Saturday evening from her school duties at Southampton, Long Island, to spend the summer with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. M. McClellan, of Elm street.

Miss Helen Cooper of Saratoga Springs returned home Saturday, after spending three weeks with her aunt, Mrs. J. H. Rose of 44 Spruce street. Mrs. Rose accompanied her to Saratoga for a week's sojourn.

Miss Irene McReynolds, who had been teaching the last year in Oxford, arrived in Oneonta Saturday and will remain at her home here for about a week before leaving for a summer school abroad in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Bishop and son and Mr. and Mrs. A. Craver and daughter motored to the cut from Binghamton Sunday and spent the day with Mr. Bishop's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Enos Beams, 487 Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Baker depart today for a motor trip to Philadelphia, Pa., for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Baker. The latter couple will meet them in New York, and accompany them back to the former.

Harold J. Saunday whose mother resides in the city, graduated last month from the class of normal industrial training at the Mechanics Institute at Utica. Accompanied by his mother, who had been visiting in Atlanta, he arrived in Oneonta last evening.

Mrs. Elsie-the Vanderzee Patterson, wife of Dr. C. F. Patterson, who is the principal of the Tarrytown schools, has completed her school year, arrived in Oneonta Saturday evening, a guest at the residence of Dr. Judge Shore where Dr. Patterson, who recently returned from New Mexico, is a guest.

John Stowe, formerly of the city, now a resident of Bronx, arrived in Oneonta last evening and is the guest of Carl L. Steamer. Today, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Morris G. Shore, who has been staying with Mrs. R. E. Morgan of Watkins avenue, he leaves for Mt. Vision for a two weeks stay on the old homestead.

Serve Biwa tea and note the expression of approval that passes around the table.

Have your carpets cleaned at the Oneonta Carpet Cleaning works, Phone 1125-W.

DEATH OF ALEX BELL

Well Known D. & H. Conductor, Long Time Ill. Passes Away.

Alexander Bell, for 30 years a resident of this city and until failing health compelled his retirement some six years ago, an employee of the D. & H. as conductor, passed away at his home, 23 Grand street, Sunday.

The double ring service was used. The Rev. Tallman Bookhout officiated.

Immediately following the ceremony the guests were served a sumptuous wedding dinner.

The bride is a graduate of the Roxbury High school and was graduated from the Oneonta Normal school in the class of '17. Since graduation she has been a member of the faculty of the Unadilla High school.

The groom is the son of Mrs. Neilia E. Hotaling of this city, and is a well-known and popular young man having been employed with the D. & H. for several years, but more recently with the New York Central at Yonkers.

Mr. Bell was born at Sparrowsburg a native of Port Jervis, Jan. 1, 1871, the son of John Bell and Mary Johnson, and he resided there until his years as a boy were removed to Franklin and has since resided here. He was united in marriage with Hattie Collins of Port Jervis, March 12, 1896, and in the fall of that year they came here. He had been a member of the Order Railway Conductors for 22 years. He was a man interested devoted to his home and many friends will mourn with regret at his demise.

He is survived by the widow, one daughter, Gladys, wife of John Cratt, now residing in Elizabethtown; one brother, John Bell of Franklin street, and by two sisters, Mrs. Anna Clark of Newton, N. J., and Mrs. Maggie Boyce of East Hartford, Conn.

DEATHS

Mrs. Florence Eckler Folts.

Milford, June 2.—Mrs. Florence Eckler Folts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gwen Eckler of Elizabethtown, died at 9 p. m. on Saturday, at the home of her parents after about four months' illness of tuberculosis. She was about 22 years of age and is survived by a son, Owen Folts, three years of age, by her parents above named, by two brothers, Ford Eckler, now at Camp Devens and Leon Eckler, now in France, and by two sisters, Mrs. John Bjork and Mrs. Cynthia Eckler, who reside at home. Her husband died about three years ago. She is a most estimable young woman and leaves many friends to lament her demise.

The funeral services will be held Wednesday at 2 p. m., at the Eckler residence. Rev. Nelson B. Ripley of Milford will officiate and interment will be in the Westville cemetery.

LEON R. COREY DEAD

Intelligence of His Death in Ottumwa, Iowa, Received on Saturday.

Intelligence of the death of Leon R. Corey, formerly a resident of Oneonta, occurred at Ottumwa, Iowa, Friday, has been received by his wife residing here. Mr. Corey, who was a native of Otego, was for several years a resident of Hartwick, having been employed as a motorman on what is now the Southern New York railway. Of late he has been traveling in the show business and the last intelligence received by his wife, who resides in the Westcott block, was to the effect that he was ill in Iowa. Besides the wife leaves three children who are being cared for at the Susan Fenimore Cooper Foundation in Cooperstown. It is not known as yet whether the body will be brought to Otsego county for interment or not.

Burned on Hands, Arms and Face.

George E. Reynolds, fireman employed by McFee & Borst, in their plant at 43 Market street, was severely burned on the face, arms and hands Friday afternoon while shoveling wood shavings into the furnace. The flames shooting out from the furnace door caught him before he could escape. He was attended by Dr. L. S. Lang, but was able to go home, sole witness being Attorney and it will be several weeks before he is able to return to work.

Enlists in Naval Reserves.

Arthur S. Doobittle of Worcester on Saturday enlisted at the naval recruiting station in Albany as a seaman, second class, and was assigned to the reserves.

The Hat Shop.

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MARRIAGES

Hotaling-Easley.

A pretty wedding took place at the home of the Misses Carrie and Ella More, Roxbury, Saturday, June 3, when Miss Hazel W. Easley became the bride of Fred B. Hotaling of Oneonta.

The double ring service was used. The Rev. Tallman Bookhout officiated.

Immediately following the ceremony the guests were served a sumptuous wedding dinner.

The bride is a graduate of the Roxbury High school and was graduated from the Oneonta Normal school in the class of '17. Since graduation she has been a member of the faculty of the Unadilla High school.

The groom is the son of Mrs. Neilia E. Hotaling of this city, and is a well-known and popular young man having been employed with the D. & H. for several years, but more recently with the New York Central at Yonkers.

Mr. and Mrs. Hotaling were the recipients of many valuable gifts, including gold, silverware, liberty bonds and linen, as tokens of the high esteem in which they are held by their friends.

Their wedding trip has had to be postponed owing to the fact that Mr. Hotaling has been unexpectedly drafted and will leave this morning for special training in the Buffalo Technical High school.

The guests from out of town were: Mrs. Nellie E. Hotaling, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Wendell and Mr. and Mrs. H. Burgett of this city; and C. A. Nable of Catskill.

INTERMENT OF HON. W. H. BUNN

Body laid at rest Sunday in Bowne Family Plot at Morris.

The body of the late Hon. Walter H. Bunn, who died last winter at his home in New York city, was brought to Oneonta Saturday, accompanied by Charles Bunn and Miss Amy Bunn, son and daughter of the deceased, and by his granddaughter, Miss Mary VanVleck, and was taken on Sunday to Morris for burial. The service was held in the Hillington cemetery, in the Bowne plot, where are laid at rest his wife and two sons. There was a large attendance of relatives and friends of the deceased. The service was conducted by the Morris Masonic lodge, the ritual of the order being impressively given by Dr. F. L. Winsor of Laurens, master of the lodge. The final prayer was by Rev. Mr. Ashton, pastor of the Zion Protestant Episcopal church.

Among the relatives and friends present were Mr. and Mrs. Silas S. Matteson, Miss Florence M. Matteson, Edward Crippen and children, Dr. and Mrs. M. L. Ford, Mrs. Lillian Kirkland, and Miss Ethel Doobittle of Oneonta; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. DeGarmo Smith and children of Poughkeepsie. Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Crutten, Dr. H. L. Crutten, C. W. Davidson, wife and daughters of Cooperstown; Howard Sherman and son, Albro, of Milford and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Backus and Mrs. E. M. Burpee of Hartwick.

WEDS SUPREME COURT JUSTICE.

Mrs. Lenora Herring Wood, Bride of Judge Edgar C. Emerson.

Judge Edgar C. Emerson of Waterford, one of the justices of the supreme court of the fifth judicial district and Mrs. Lenora Herring Wood, formerly of West Laurens and a graduate of the Oneonta State Normal school, well-known in Otsego county, who has been teaching in New Rosselle, were quietly united in marriage at the Episcopal church in the latter place Saturday afternoon, the sole witnesses being Attorney and Mrs. Clarence E. Hoines of this city.

Accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Holmes, Judge and Mrs. Emerson left immediately after the ceremony for an automobile trip to Atlantic City and other resorts along the Jersey coast, returning from which the happy couple will reside in Waterford, where the groom occupies an attractive position in the bar of Northern New York. Mrs. Wood has many friends among Star readers who will extend felicitations to Judge Emerson and best wishes to the advt. 5c bribe

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**AUTOMOBILE DIRECTORY ONEONTA****HILL'S NOMINATION CERTAIN, DECLARES BINGHAMTON PRESS**

Independent Newspaper Says Senator's Record At Albany Will Win Him Record Breaking Majority As Candidate For Congress.

"BUSHWHACKING IN DISFAVOR"

The nomination of Senator William H. Hill for Congress on the Republican ticket, and his election by the largest majority ever given a candidate in this district is predicted in the Binghamton Press. Following a canvass of the four counties in the district.

Throughout the district there is a feeling that Senator Hill is fitted to represent the district by reason of his experience in the State Legislature and his good record in Albany," declares the Press which devotes three columns to a review of conditions in the district and an analysis of the four years work of the Senator in the Legislature. The review was published on Wednesday, June 19, and cites these important measures which Senator Hill put through the Legislature: The Widowed Mothers' Pension law, Local Option for Cities, law requiring vestibuled cabs on railroad locomotives, and the amendment which exempts farmers from the operation of the Donnelly act and permits them to combine to buy supplies and sell products.

Important consideration also is given to these measures which Senator Hill supported: Minimum Wages for Women, bill protecting women from unlimited hours of labor in the canning industry, and his opposition to the suspension of Labor laws during the war, and to the repeal of the full crew law for railroads.

In the same issue, The Press declares in the leading editorial that the problem before the people in the district is to "send to Congress the best available man," and declare that "it is our firm belief that State Senator William H. Hill is best fitted to represent the district in Washington, and that he will have the support of men and women."

The editorial endorsement of the Senator continues:

"Senator Hill has had abundant legislative experience of the right kind.

"His record for performance at Albany was so far above the average of legislators that it marked him for higher place even before his candidacy for Congress was announced.

"He has won the confidence and esteem of his legislative colleagues and of public men generally, among whom he has a nation-wide acquaintance.

"He is in the prime of life.

"He is a thinker.

"He is a worker.

"He is an orator of convincing force.

"He has the courage of his convictions.

"He knows how to sort truth from error.

"He would go to Washington well equipped truly to represent his district and his State.

"We do not believe he would be merely a 'local' representative.

"We believe he would be an element of strength in the State Delegation in Congress, which is not now fared for its collective statesmanship.

"It would be a matter of regret, in the nature of a national calamity, if the men and women of the State of New York must pass this Fall through a political campaign waged along the lines of old-time partisanship and bitterness.

"It would be a national calamity, because such a campaign would be a waste of energy that is much needed to help to win the war."

The Binghamton Press is published in the largest city in the 34th Congressional district and its circulation of 2,000 copies a day covers the four counties in the district. "We are a market." In every city and town the great newspaper has correspondents who are closely in touch with sentiment in the localities and it has the reputation of presenting the facts of a political situation accurately and disinterestedly.

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